## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

- 1. (original) A controlled hydrocarbon permeability composition comprising a mixture of polymer material (4) and of fillers, characterized in that fillers (5) are mineral and selected to adsorb and to trap an amount of hydrocarbons discharged through said polymer so as to reduce the permeability of said composition.
- 2. (original) A composition as claimed in claim 1, wherein said adsorbent mineral fillers are selected from the following group: zeolite, activated charcoal, carbon nanotubes and mixtures thereof.
- 3. (currently amended) A composition as claimed in any one of the previous elaims claim 1, wherein the polymer is selected from : polyolefins (PE, PP), polyamides, fluoropolymers, polymer alloys (PE-PA), elastomers.
- 4. (currently amended) A composition as claimed in any one of the previous claims claim 1, wherein the polymer material comprises permeability-reducing fillers (8) of micrometric type, such as talc, metal particles for example, or of a nanometric type, such as clays for example.

- 5. (currently amended) A structure containing hydrocarbons, characterized in that its wall is a single layer of the composition as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any one of claims 1 to 4.
- 6. (original) A structure as claimed in claim 5, wherein at least one face of said wall is treated (6), for example by fluorination, to reduce the permeability.
- 7. (currently amended) A structure as claimed in any one of claims 5 or 6 claim 5, made by extrusion, injection, blowing, rotational moulding or compression.
- 8. (currently amended) Application of the structure as claimed in any one of claims 5 to 7-claim 5 to the manufacture of tanks for motor vehicles.
- 9. (currently amended) Application of the structure as claimed in any one of claims 5 to 7 claim 5 to the manufacture of fuel lines for motor vehicles.
- 10. (new) A composition as claimed in claim 2, wherein the polymer is selected from : polyolefins (PE, PP), polyamides, fluoropolymers, polymer alloys (PE-PA), elastomers.
- 11. (new) A composition as claimed claim 2, wherein the polymer material comprises permeability-reducing fillers (8) of micrometric type, such as talc, metal particles for example, or of a nanometric type, such as clays for example.

- 12. (new) A composition as claimed in claim 3, wherein the polymer material comprises permeability-reducing fillers (8) of micrometric type, such as talc, metal particles for example, or of a nanometric type, such as clays for example.
- 13. (new) A structure containing hydrocarbons, characterized in that its wall is a single layer of the composition as claimed in claim 2.
- 14. (new) A structure containing hydrocarbons, characterized in that its wall is a single layer of the composition as claimed in claim 3.
- 15. (new) A structure containing hydrocarbons, characterized in that its wall is a single layer of the composition as claimed in claim 4.
- 16. (new) A structure as claimed in claim 6, made by extrusion, injection, blowing, rotational moulding or compression.
- 17. (new) Application of the structure as claimed in claim 6 to the manufacture of tanks for motor vehicles.
- 18. (new) Application of the structure as claimed in claim 7 to the manufacture of tanks for motor vehicles.
- 19. (new) Application of the structure as claimed in claim 6 to the manufacture of fuel lines for motor vehicles.

20. (new) Application of the structure as claimed in claim 7 to the manufacture of fuel lines for motor vehicles.